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Mr. Jaroslaw Stetzko
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Sincerely,

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for DD/P 8 Sept

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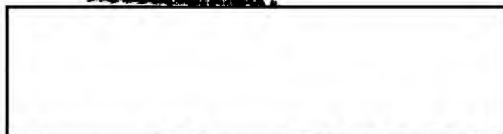
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence

VIA : Deputy Director (Plans)

SUBJECT : Letter to the Director from Jaroslaw S. STETZKO

1. Attached herewith is a response to the letter from Jaroslaw S. STETZKO for the signature of the Acting Director.

2. Jaroslaw S. STETZKO is the President of the Anti-Bolshevik Bloc of Nations, a union of exile groups of Eastern European nationalities dominated, or at least strongly influenced, by the Organization of Ukrainian Nationalists, BANDERA wing. He is at the same time BANDERA's chief lieutenant in the OUN.

3. It is believed that no useful purpose would be served by granting the writer's request for a meeting with the Director.

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Chief, SR Division

One Attachment

cc: DDCI

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Mr. Allen W. Dulles
Director of the
Central Intelligence Agency
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Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Dulles :

For many years, it has been my utmost desire to come to this country and to meet this nation's leading personalities, such as yourself, in order to get an opportunity to discuss issues of most vital importance. Now, when I am here, it is my hope that you will agree on our coming together with the purpose to deliberate upon concepts of policy and strategy leading eventually to a friendly and strong alliance between the American people and Russian captive nations whose liberation movements I have the honor and privilege to represent. Being Ukrainian myself, I am sure you are aware of the role and potential of Ukraine and my people in the great crusade against Russian aggression from within the Russian Empire. I am also convinced that our deliberations would result in definite contribution to the cause of freedom, peace and progress for all men.

Studying your address of April 28, 1958, delivered before the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, may I make the following observations:

1.) It is documented that the Ukrainian Nationalist Movement dedicated to free Ukraine of her Red Russian occupants, already during World War II, and since, has predicted the developments of the Russian economy. This could have been prevented had the Western Powers pursued the line of liberation of the subjugated nations. The present alarming strength of the Russian economy is chiefly the result of

a) unscrupulous exploitation of the occupied countries (from the Elbe River to the South China Sea)

b) methodical thefts by Russian intelligence of Western inventions, scientists, scholars, engineers, spy-activities, etc.

c) skilful exploitation of the Western inactivity to prevent the growth of Russian economic powers,

d) the free hand given by the West to the Russians to exploit the manpower and the resources of the subjugated people.

2.) We, the Ukrainian nationalists, have long feared that Russia in time will surpass the

West in the armament race and thus achieve the balance in this important field. The decision to win the global contest will necessarily shift to other power-fields, especially to fields of psychological-ideological handling of the great human masses of Asia, Africa, Europe, and even Latin America. The decisive weapon against the never ending Russian aggression is and will be nationalism of these nations and support of revolutionary liberation movements.

3.) Russian is rapidly gaining over the West qualitatively especially in the fields of science; and with both quantitative and qualitative superiority, Russia may well gain the psychological and strategic supremacy over the West in the cold war. The West should, therefore, stress the rallying of the quantitative factor in her favor - the nationalistic drive of the subjugated peoples - reversing it into quality and aiding this deep rooted nationalism to side with the West against Russia.

4.) Nationalism is and will be the decisive factor in Asia, Africa and Europe. The U.S.A must seek and turn this nationalism into an ally and fight Russia with a weapon they so cunningly used in the past.

5.) To keep the Near East and the Arab nations on the side of the West, the U.S.A should adopt a policy favoring nationalism, especially by giving support to the nations subjugated by the Russians (e.g. Turkestan, Azerbajdzan, etc.)

6.) If Russia is allowed to continue to gain in the power bloc more rapidly than the West, she will eventually win over to her side all of Asia. The Middle East may fall into the orbit of Russian imperialistic desires overnight. Europe will indeed stand barred, in great danger of being neutralized or dominated by Russian Communism from within. Could the U.S.A then protect her sovereignty in isolation with success ?

Having had a lifelong experience in this field, I can assure you, Mr. Dulles, that the nationalism of Ukraine, Hungary, Turkestan and other nations subjugated by Russia, are the great potential and natural reservoir of friendship for the U.S.A. It should be one of the main pursuits of this country to win them as allies. With the adoption and actualization of a liberation policy, these nations, with proper world-wide support, co-ordination and direction from the free nations can decompose and destroy the Russian menace from within.

In view of the afore said, I sincerely desire to meet with you to have an opportunity to stress and explain the aims of the Ukrainian liberation movement and that of the A.B.N. nations I am privileged to represent. We are endeavouring to win American friendship and offering alliance with the liberation movements of the A.B.N. nations. I am in the position to produce detailed information on the conditions of the resistance

movement of Ukraine and other nations, our analysis of strength and weaknesses of the Russian Communist power, and our suggestions as to the most effective means of counteracting Russian expansion.

I am on and off in Washington, testifying before the House of un-American Activities Committee and House Committee for Foreign Affairs and I feel assured that you, Sir, will find time to give me an audience.

Very truly yours,

Jerrolaw E. Stetko

Jaroslaw S. Stetko

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